

Session 124 - (2021-2022)

S 0865 General Bill, By Rankin, Campsen, Young, Sabb, Matthews, Talley and Harpootlian

Summary: Elections - REAPPORTIONMENT: Adopting 2020 Census and Establishing New Senate and House Districts

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 1-1-715, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO ADOPTION OF THE UNITED STATES CENSUS, SO AS TO ADOPT THE UNITED STATES CENSUS OF 2020 AS THE TRUE AND CORRECT ENUMERATION OF INHABITANTS OF THIS STATE AND TO IDENTIFY THE DATA USED IN THE CODE SECTIONS CONTAINING GEOGRAPHIC ASSIGNMENTS FOR ELECTION DISTRICTS; BY ADDING SECTION 2-1-75 SO AS TO ESTABLISH ELECTION DISTRICTS FROM WHICH MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA SENATE ARE ELECTED COMMENCING WITH THE 2024 GENERAL ELECTION; BY ADDING SECTION 2-1-45 SO AS TO ESTABLISH ELECTION DISTRICTS FROM WHICH THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ARE ELECTED BEGINNING WITH THE 2022 GENERAL ELECTION; TO REPEAL SECTION 2-1-70 RELATING TO ELECTION DISTRICTS FROM WHICH MEMBERS OF THE SENATE WERE FORMERLY ELECTED; TO REPEAL SECTION 2-1-35 RELATING TO ELECTION DISTRICTS FROM WHICH MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WERE FORMERLY ELECTED; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE TO INTERVENE IN ANY STATE OR FEDERAL ACTION CONCERNING THIS LEGISLATION; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE TO INITIATE OR OTHERWISE PARTICIPATE IN LITIGATION ON BEHALF OF THE SENATE REGARDING REDISTRICTING; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO INITIATE OR OTHERWISE PARTICIPATE IN LITIGATION ON BEHALF OF THE HOUSE REGARDING REDISTRICTING.

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| 12/06/21 | Senate | Introduced, read first time, placed on calendar without reference (Senate Journal-page 6) |
| 12/07/21 | Senate | Amended |
| 12/07/21 | Senate | Read second time (Senate Journal-page 17) |
| 12/07/21 | Senate | Roll call Ayes-41 Nays-2 (Senate Journal-page 17) |
| 12/07/21 | Senate | Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day (Senate Journal-page 17) |
| 12/08/21 | Senate | Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 3) |
| 12/09/21 | House | Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 3) |
| 12/09/21 | House | Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 3) |
| 01/11/22 | House | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 35) |
| 01/12/22 | | Scrivener's error corrected |
| 01/12/22 | House | Special order, set for immediately after the adoption of H. 4781 (House Journal-page 43) |
| 01/12/22 | House | Amended (House Journal-page 43) |
| 01/12/22 | House | Roll call Yeas-73 Nays-35 (House Journal-page 73) |
| 01/12/22 | House | Read second time (House Journal-page 75) |
| 01/12/22 | House | Roll call Yeas-74 Nays-35 (House Journal-page 75) |
| 01/13/22 | | Scrivener's error corrected |
| 01/13/22 | House | Returned to Senate with amendments |
| 01/13/22 | House | Roll call Yeas-68 Nays-36 |